INFORMATION BULLETIN



WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT

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TO: WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY

SUBJECT: JTA SYSTEM VERSION 4.15 RELEASE

The purpose of this information bulletin is to inform you that the Workforce Investment Division will release the Job Training Automation (JTA) System Version 4.15 on the weekend of November 2, 2001. The JTA system software will be available beginning Monday, November 5, 2001. A detailed description of the software changes is attached.

Note To Timeshare JTA System Users—This release will be installed over the weekend. Please do not access your system from Friday, November 2, 2001, at 6 p.m. through Monday, November 5, 2001, at 8 a.m.

Note To Standalone JTA System Users—The release files can be accessed from the Shasta County Private Industry Council's server site on Wednesday, November 7, 2001. Release 4.14 must be installed prior to the installation of this release.

This release includes additions and enhancements that are a result of program requirements and calls made to the JTA Help Desk.

This release also includes a new Workforce Investment Act (WIA) report, the Print WIA Participant Report (PWIP) which is a summary report that counts participants and characteristics. This new screen will be loaded to the DEFAULT/DEFAULT menu group and access level, and system administrators are responsible for ensuring that local staff is given access to the new screens as appropriate.

Should you have any questions regarding this JTA system release, please call the JTA Help Desk at (916) 653-0202.

/S/ BILL BURKE Chief

Attachment

WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT (WIA) RELEASE NOTES LOCAL WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD (LWIB) RELEASE 4.15

WIA System

New Programs:

Log # 5303 PWIP (Print WIA Participant Report)

The purpose of this program is to print local Workforce Investment Act Participant Reports for a LWIA and one or more WIA grant groups or WIA grant codes.

Log # 5302 XWIP (Extract Local WIA Participant Report)

The new program is created to calculate and store the data for the local Print WIA Participant Report (PWIP). The data is stored on the lwib_partic_sumry table, and is retrieved from the database by PWIP when the user needs to view and/or print the report. This program will also be called from either LWID, the load program associated with XWID (Extract WIA Participant Data). There is no menu option for this program as it runs as a result of running other programs.

Programs Modified:

Logs # 5318, 5319 PLWPD (Print Local WIA Performance Detail Report)

This program is modified to:

- Remove the count of "Total Exiters" from the report
- Allow the "Report End Period" to go beyond current date
- Add the option of "Report Type" to the screen. Report type is either (Q)uarterly or (A)nnual and default is (Q)

Log # 5320 PLWPO (Print Local WIA Outcomes Report)
PLWPS (Print Local WIA Performance Standards)

This program is modified by adding the option of "Report Type" to the screen. Report type is either (Q)uarterly or (A)nnual and default is (Q).

Logs # 5314, 5316, XLWPR (Extract/Calculate Local WIA Performance) 5317, 5329

This program is modified to:

- Remove the count of "Total Exiters" from the report
- Add the option of "Report Type" to the screen. Report type is either (Q)uarterly or (A)nnual and default is (Q)
- Change the calculation for credential rate to correctly count only those in a training activity in the numerator
- Allow the "Report End Period" to go beyond current date
- Change quarterly calculations for all measures that use five quarters of data

Log # 5300 LWID (Load WIA Participant Data)

This program is modified to automatically call the XWIP (Extract Local WIA Participant Report) program when that program is run with an ending period of '03', '06', '09', or '12'. See Log 5302 above.

Scripts:

Scripts will be run to insert mnemonic, menu and access level information into tables for all new programs and to update version information in the rlse_cntl table.